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In re patent application of )  
Frank T. Check et al. ) Group Art Unit: 216  
Serial No.: 144,704 ) Attorney Docket: C-391  
Filed: January 12, 1988 ) Examiner: G. Miller, Jr.  
For: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR) Date: November 3, 1988  
PRODUCING DOT MATRIX )  
CHARACTERS )

PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.312

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

S I R:

Applicant petitions for the right to submit an  
Amendment after receipt of the Notice of Allowance for the  
above entitled application.

The Amendment that has been submitted subsequent to the  
Notice of Allowance does not concern substantive matters,  
but involves matters dealing only with the title of the  
patent application and the application's lineage.

The above entitled application is a continuation of  
Serial No. 472,559 which is a continuation-in-part of  
application 391,029, which issued as U. S. Pat. No.  
4,386,272. Applications Serial Nos. 390,029 and 472,559 had  
the title changed from APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR CORRECTING  
IMPERFECTION IN A POLYGON USED FOR LASER SCANNING to  
APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR GENERATING IMAGES BY PRODUCING  
LIGHT SPOTS OF DIFFERENT SIZES. The present Amendment would

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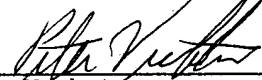
accomplish the changing of the title to conform to the prior two parent applications.

In reviewing the application before signing the Notice of Allowance, it was noticed that the title had not been changed to conform to the parent as was originally intended and the Related Applications portion of the instant application was incorrect. The oversight on the part of the Petitioner to change the title as intended and the errors with regard to Related Applications were inadvertent and without fraudulent intent.

The Petitioner is requesting that the title of the above entitled application and the Related Application section be amended as requested in the accompanying Amendment. By this amendment, the title will not only conform to the title of the parent application, but will be more descriptive of the invention defined by the claims. In addition, the proper related cases will be described accurately.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 16-1885 for any fees required.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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